APACHE TRIES TO REACH UPPER BAY

Conditions on Chesapeake Declared to Be Worst in Years.

Fighting her way through heavy ice and rapidly moving floes, the revenue cutter Apache is endeavoring to beat her way up Chesapeake Bay today as far as Cristield, Md. The same trip was undertaken by the Apache yesterday, but without success; the heavy ice battered the vessel down the bay, and at times she could not keep headway. Off Point No Point, opposite the upper shore of the mouth of the Potomac, she encountered a jam yesterday, and was forced to drop back to Smith's Point for safe anchorage during the night.

Captain Carmine reports that ice conditions in the bay and its tributary rivers are the worst ever known, even to the oldest inhabitants among the mariners and fisher folk. Navigation of the bay above Smith's Point is impossible except for the biggest and most powerful steamers. All small craft are helpless. No relief is in sight, and it may be weeks before navigation is opened

Ice conditions are the worst in years

cheing the biggest season of rescue work they have ever encountered.

The cutter Gresham, cut the fug America and three barges out of the ice in Vineyard sound, and towed them into Vineyard Haven. Many other vessels are ice bound in Long Island sound. G. M. Foote, general manager of the Postal Telegraph and Cable system, wired Revenue Cutter headquarters this inorning that the cable ship, Mackay Bennett, rescued the crew of the schooner Caledonia, which was found water-logged and "iced-up" off Sable Island. The Mackay Bennet tried to tow delegates, representing every county in that a special meeting of the body would be called on Monday. February 25, at which time the organization of the National Citizens' League would be perfected.

The Administration of President Taft received hearty indorsement at the Eighth Congressional Republican convention held in Elks' Hall yesterday, which was attended by seventy-two delegates, representing every county in the district. Dr. F. M. Brooks acted the charge of the National Citizens' League would be perfected. the schooner into port, but she capsized in a gale last night, the weight of ice on her sails and rigging, making her The vessel was cut adrift when she turned turtle, and is a serious menace to navigation.

The Cutter Itasca has blasted out the

the three masts of the unknown schoon-er, which sank thirty-four miles off ape Romaine, in the pathway of ocean The Cutter Woodbury rescued a tug

and two schooners caught in the ice and rendered helpless in Fox Island Thorofare, off the Maine coast. All three vessels were taken into Stonington.

Death Claims Noted Character of Capitol

John Brown, colored, laborer under the Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senate, dled at his home here last night, and with his passing there departed one of the most interesting of the attaches about the Capitol. Brown, who was a former slave, was six feet and three Mephisto Ruled at inches in height, and was often pointed out to visitors by the guides. He had been about the Capitol as a laborer since 1865. He served through the war as a soldier, but somehow or other never could remember the name of his captain, his major, or his colonel.

At one time in his career Brown was drum major in a colored band, and when he put his drum major's shako on, hy reason of his great height he leoked. by reason of his great height, he looked

like a giant.
Some years ago, when Col. Dick
Bright was sergeant-at-arms, Brown got sick and feeble. He was told that his services were no longer required.
"Sorry, boss," said Brown, "but
can't go. I jes' can't afford to be fired." So he stayed on the payroli until his

Lincoln and Douglass Honored in Speeches

The 193rd anniversary of the birth of Abraham Lincoln was celebrated at thu Cosmopolitan (colored) Baptist Church last night. The ninety-fifth birthday of Frederick Douglass was also celebrated. Congressman William Sulzer of New York was the principal speaker. Others

speaking were:

Assistant Attorney General W. H.
Lewle, Dr. I N. Poss, pastor of the
A. M. E. Church; the Rev. Dr. Sterling
N. Erown, of Howard University; the N. Brown, of Howard University; the Rev. Dr. A. G. Garner, pastor of the Plymouth Congregational Church; Mrs. Julia M. Layton, Attorney Thomas Walker, Attorney W. P. Frisby, the Rev. Simon P. W. Drew, and the Rev. S. G. Lamkins.

musical program was given by the Washington Conservatory of Music, the Cosmopolitan choir, and a quartet,

Man Hurt by Fall Still Unidentified

Unconscious and unidentified, the man who received a fractured skull by falling last night at Twelfth and C streets northwest is still in a critical condition in the Emergency Hospital, The

Compromise to Settle Power Press Dispute

The proposed hearing before the Scnpostponed on account of a suggestion of a compromise. This suggestion was made at a conference between Director Italph, of the Eureau of Engraving and Printing, and officials of the Plate Printers' Union. The proposal is that the power press be used for printing the proposal that the band press for printing the proposal that the power press be used for printing the proposal for printing the power press be used for printing the proposal for printing the power press because the proposal fo In the meantime, the Treasury of ficials have conferred and decided to defer action on the installation of power presses at the bureau.

Handbag Stolen.

The theft of a handbag containing \$8 was reported to the police today by Miss Ruth Noyes, of 1730 New Hampsmire by Miss Noyes.

FIGHTING ICE FLOES, NEW STREET PLANS FOR ALEXANDRIA MAKE RICH TO TOIL

Chamber of Commerce, at Largely Attended Meeting, Indorses Resolution to Be Presented at Tonight's Meeting of the City Council.

oms, with a loss of about \$250.

iclating. Burial will be made in Bethel

named as executrix, without bond.

French Bank Hundred

poleon. The bank originally had a cap-

ital of 20,000,000 francs. This has been

increased three times, and the presen

And Twelve Years Old

By a decree entered in corporation

court the following have been con-firmed as directors of Osceola Tribe of

Red Men: A. J. Butcher, Frank L. Entwisie, and Henry Callan.

ness transacted.

WASHINGTON TIMES BUREAU, ALEXANDRIA, VA., FEB. 13. At one of the largest attended meetings of the Chamber of Commerce ever held, unanimous indorsement was given to the project now pending before the city council, providing for extensive improvements in the streets of Alexandria, the cost for which shall be paid out of the general fund, instead of being assessed against the holders of adjoining roperty, as has been the custom heretefore. This resolution will probably be presented at tonight's meeting of the city conneil, setting forth the wishes of the business men of the city in the matter. It is proposed to improve from ten to fifteen blocks of the city each year with vitrified brick, in the riajority of cases, the cost ranging from \$10,000 to \$15,000. The streets affected at present, and which will be the first to trecive attention are Cameron, Royal, and Washington streets. A surplus of \$15,600 now exists in the city's finances which can be applied to this work, and it is proposed to raise the balance by means of bonds.

Legislation now pending before the ce concitions are the worst in years along the entire coast line from the Chesapeake northward, and vessels of the Revenue Cutter Service are experiencing the biggest season of rescue work that a special meeting of the body than have a concentrated.

> Eighth Congressional Republican convention held in Elks' Hall yesterday, which was attended by seventy-two delegates, representing every county in as chairman, and H. A. Sager as secretary. It was decided to postpone the nomination of a Republican candidate to Congress until August 2s, when the convention will again meet here. Delegates to the national Republican convention to be held in Chicago June 18, were elected as follows. Insert I. Congression of the convention to the convention of the conv were elected as follows: Joseph L. Crup-per, of Alexandria county; and M. A. Lowery, of Stafford county; with Wil-liam Brown, of Loudoun county, and J. B. Grayson, of Fauquier county, as

> Before Judge Louis C. Barley, in cor-poration court today, arguments are be-ing heard on the petition of C. M. Kemp-er and others in the suit of Thomas J. Fannon and others against the Virginia Safe Deposit and Trust Corporation. The petitioner seeks to hold the directors of the institution, which suspended more than a year ago, responsible for losses sustained by depositors. Samuel G. Brent and S. G. Whitehead ventreent the petitioner, and Franched sponsible for losses sustained by depos-tiors. Samuel G. Brent and S. G. White-head represent the petitioner, and Fran-Church, beginning tomorrow.

Saengerbund Carnival

'imps" at the clubhouse, 314 C street

oorthwest. Commissioner Rudolph, Samuel Gom Commissioner Rudolph, Samuel Gompers, Christian Heurick, and Frank Claudy responded to the summons of Mephisto for speeches. A letter of regict was read from Simon Wolf. In Mephisto's council were Herbert Lety, George Plitt, and Adelph Levy.

The original songs were written by H. Claudy, Iiugo Schulzy, William Schefer, A. Brauner, and Richard Frauner. The cartoon cover of the souvenir song book was designed by C. K. Berryman.

From the Arlor Gesargvereir a large delegation, hended by August Schwarz,

delegation, headed by August Schwarz, presented "Mopnisto" Lepper with a foolscap of large size

Lumber Rate Ruling By Commerce Court

The Commerce Court overruled th Interstate Commerce Commission in its decision in the Chicago lumber reparation case. The commission reduced the freight rate on lumber from Chicago to the Pacific coast from 85 cents to 75 cents per 100 pounds, but refused the lumber shippers reparation on past shipments on the ground that the ex-cess rate had, in the final analysis, been paid for by the ultimate consumer in the increased price of lumber.
"This decision was the result of clear misapprehension of law." de clared Judge Archbaid's opinion today. The decision today was on the de-murrer of the commission. The case will now come up for final adjudication.

Woodward to Address Parents and Teachers

tion in the Emergency Hospital. The physicians hold out practically no hope for his recovery.

John Bonifant, of Rockville, Md., told the police that the injured man is a blacksmith with a shop somewhere in Montgomery county, but he did not know his name. The sheriff of the county was notified early this morning, but up to a later hour this afternoon no reply had been received.

While it was thought for a time last night that the man might have been assaulted, the police learned from persons who saw the accident that the man fell on the pavement.

Dr. W. C. Woodward, Health Officer of the District, will make an address March 19, at the Edmonds School, before the Lincoln Park Parent-Teachers' Association. Dr. Woodward will talk on the care of children's health from the standpoint of the physicians and parents and school teachers.

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Six Months' Sentence For Swindling Women

Brought back from Maryland prison ate Printing Committee last night was where he had served four months, John postponed on account of a suggestion Daily received sentences totaling six cards in the Washington, Baltimore and Annapolis street cars. Daily told the court that he also secured \$1 from Mrs. W. H. Daiby, of 1343 F street northwest, on the same representations.

Held for Robbery.

Lewis Dixon, colored, was held in avenue northwest. The bag was taken yesterday afternoon from the hall of the Church of the Epiphany, G street, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth street northwest, where it had been left from his hand and ran. Bonds of \$1,009 were fixed.

BISHOP'S PLAN TO STARTS DISCUSSION

Michigan Prelate Righteousness Cannot cis L. Smith, Gardner L. Boothe, Ver-non Ford, and James R, and Harry B. Caton, the directors. It is probable that Prevail Now.

Judge Barley will take the matter under NEW YORK, Feb. 13.-With Judge As a result of an explosion of a kero-sene lamp in the boarding house at 501 Cameron street, Mrs. Mary Mullings re-ceived painful burns, shortly after 7 o'clock last night. The blazing oil set Gary, of the Steel trust warning his reform they "will be reformed by the mob," and President Taft asserting that "political emotionalists would hurry ha fire to the furniture and carpets of the into a French revolution," the remedy Preparations for the celebration of Washington's Birthday in this city are being made by Alexandria Council, Fraternal Order of Americans, It is proposed to give a musical and literary entertainment, followed by a smoker, on that date. Addresses including the for unrest suggested by the Rt. Rev. C. D. Williams, Episcopal bishop of Michigan, was widely discussed today, The bishop told the Women's Henry that date. Addresses will be made by several local speakers, including Dr. tice and righteousness cannot prevail," he said, 'so long as we have people en-joying wealth they did not earn and toiling not. Put them to work for the benefit of mankind. It is getting to the Funeral services for Charles Travers, whose body was found in his room on South Royal street yesterday, beside partly filled bottles of carbolic acid and partly filled bottles of carbolic acid and laudanum, will be held from 723 Duke street at 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, the Rev. W. F. Watson officiating. Burial will be made in Bethel Cemetery, Coroner S. B. Moore Issued a certucate of death from suicide, but refused to make public the contents of a note, said to have been found in the room. The wife of the deceased is at present confined in the Alexandria Hospital, suffering from the effects of a recent operation, and has not yet been apprised of her husband's death. point where the people realize that a social conscience is needed, and a gen-eral awakening is coming."

Life Pension for Aged Clerk Up to Senate

Congress may grant a pension of \$190 month to Thomas Harrison, a clerk in the Naval Observatory, who has been sixty-three years in service. The Senate has passed a bill to this effect, and it is now up to the House. The funeral of James B. Allison will be held from his residence. First and Fairfax streets, at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, the Rey. A. G. Luttrell of-In a report on the subject filed in the In a report on the subject filed in the Senate it is pointed out that Harrison is eighty-four years old, and that it seems only just he should be assured of a living for the few remaining years of his life. He has served in the Naval Observatory since 1848, and has dependent relatives.

W. Morgan Shuster to Be in Capital Soon

Accused of exceeding the spesil limits in an automobile, F. V. Wheatley, a chauffeur, was arraigned in police court this morning and fined \$10. Although denying that he was proceeding faster than the law allows, Wheatley admitted that his speedometer was out of order. W. Morgan Shuster will be at home n Washington in the course of a few days, having sailed Sunday from London. It is expected by relatives and friends here that Shuster will stay a Lampkins. cay or two in New York on arrival and The will of William G. Plaskett was admitted to probate in the circuit court in vacation this morning. The deceased leaves his entire estate to his wife, Mrs. Irene L. Plaskett. She is also then come to Washington. His first public appearance will be as a speaker at the Navy League banquet the night Washington's Birthday. and their two children joined bim Checharg. Mr. Shuster is sailing on Steamer George Washington.

Divorce and Custody of Child for Bosier Castle

Bosier Castle, a policeman, was yesterhe custody of their child, Justice Wright also granted an absolute divorce to Helen M. Honner from William T. Bonner, and gave her permission to resume her maiden name. The Bank of France, which conducts a world-wide financial business, was organized 112 years ago today by Napoleon. The bank originally had a world-wide financial business, was ried at Springfield, Mass., September 2, 1968. Edwin Jones was attorney for Mrs. Benner.

Routed by Rum.

SOUTH NORWALK, Conn., Feb. 13 -

CHIEF TO ARRIVE

Escort to Annual Encampment.

Judge H. M. Trimble, of Princeton III., commander-in-chief of the G. A. R. wealthy associates that if they do not will arrive in Washington this after noon to attend the forty-fourth annual encampment of the Department of the Potomac, G. A. R. He will be met at the station by Col. John McElroy and Col. O. H. Oldroyd.

The encampment will be held at

held at the First Congregational Church last night, will comprise a series of veterans' meetings.

The Lincoln birthday celebration atracted a large audience last night. ongressmen Charles E. Fuller declared that if Lincoln were alive he would never approve the expenditure of 2.400,000 to a mere monument to his fame. Others who spoke were T. T. Ansberry, Martin B. Maoden, Carl Anderson, and Major Thomas H. Me Kee. The invocation was pronounced y the Rev. H. N. Couden, chaplain of the House of Representatives. William Wall Whiddlt sang "A Thousand Years, My Own Columbia." and led chorts singing in several patriotic songs. Mrs. Agnes Wheeler 20ve a natriotic recitation. Col. John McElroy

day granted an absolute divorce from pense of abutting property owners, were Fannie E. Castle, by Justice Wright, in passed by the Northeast Washington northeast.

the association, recommended a cur-

The stock is quoted at 400. Half of the shares at least are held by thrifty shopkeepers, who own only one or too shares each. The bank employes, more than 7,000 persons, all are French.

SOUTH NORWALK, Conn., Feb. 13—The demonstrum routed 200 delegates to a State prohibition conference here when the janter of the L.O.O.F. half instead a park being made of the old Graceland Cemetery, at Fifteenth and H streets northeast.

Miss Reeside Soloist

Elizabeth Reeside, of this city.

Says Commander Trimble to Have

Says Commander Trimble to Have three years to the serious study of her chosen profession. The orchestra will be heard in the Overture to "Rienzi." Wagner; "Rouet d'Omphale," Saint-Saens, and "Rondo Infinito," Sinding. Tickets are on sale at T. Arthur Smith's agency, 1327 F street.

will meet Friday night at 8 o'clock at headquarters to discuss matters of business. This week, beginning with the services

The birthday of Lincoln and of Fred-The birthday of Lincoln and of Fred-crici: Dougloss was celebrated last hight by the Colored Veterans' Army and Navy Union at the Cosmopolitan Esp-tist Church. Addresses were made by Congression William Sulzer, Assistant Attorner General W. H. Lewis, Dr. L. N. Ross, the Rev. Sterling N. Brown, the Rev. A. C. Garner, Mrs. Julia M. Layton, Thomas Waller, W. P. Frisby, Dr. S. P. W. Orew, and the Rev. S. G. Lampkins

Northeast Citizens Act On District Measures

Resolutions disapproving of bills pendng in Congress looking to requiring all consideration on deeds in the transer to real estate; the transfer of the ontrol of the water works from the War Department to the Commissioners, and giving the Commissioners the right to extend public highways at the ex-Equity Court No. 2, and was awarded vitizens' Association at a meeting last night in the Northeast Temple, H, between Twelfth and Thirteenth streets

G. A. R. hall tonight. A banquet will The bishop told the Women's Henry be held by members of the department drunkenness that led to poverty, but poverty that led to drunkenness. "Justice and righteousness cannot prevail."

> northeast.
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> W. S. Eranson introduced the resolutions disapproving the bill on "real
> value," and W. J. Frizzell introduced
> the other resolutions. Dr Starr Parsen, chairman of the school committee ew law. W. S. Lang, chalman of the commit-

ce on parks and spaces, read a repo

At Symphony. Concert

Under the direction of Heinrich Ham-mer, the Washington Symphony Orchestra will present the fourth concerof its tenth season at the Columbia Theater on Tuesday, February 27, at 4:45 o'clock. The soloist will be Miss

To Discuss Transfers.

A meeting of the Citizens' Conference on Universal Transfers was called today for next Monday evening at the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce

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